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THE WORK OF WOMEN.

Organization of the Propylaum and What It Proposes to Accomplish.

The stockholders of the Propylæum (of whom there are already sixty-three) held a meeting at the residence of Mrs. H. D. Pierce, last week, and elected the following directors: Mrs. May Wright Sewall, Mrs. F. W. Chislett, Mrs. E. C. Atkins, Mrs. N. A. Hyde, Mrs. Elizabeth Vinton Pierce, Mrs. Helen B. Holman, Mrs. Carrie Fishback Milligan, Mrs. Benj. D. Walcott, Mrs. Chapin C. Fostar, Mrs. H. R. Allen, Mrs. A. M. Robertson, Mrs. John C. New, and Mrs. Joseph P. Shipp. The directors held a meeting for the election of officers which resulted in making Mrs. Sewall, president; Mrs. Chisiett, vice-president; Mrs. Holman, secretary, and Mrs. Pierce, treasurer of this organization. Committees on purchase, building and finance will be appointed. Beyond buying the lot, nothing will be done this summer, but much interest is expressed in the enterprise among the most influential women of the city and everything is in excellent condition for active work in

Many mistaken notions exist in regard to both the origin and the objects of this woman's stock company. It is not projected by the Woman's Club; nor is it in any way undertaken under the auspices of the Woman's Club; aithough many members of the club are stockholders in the Propyleum. The object of the association is not, as has been rumored, to establish a ladies' restaurant. It is to erect a building with bandsome club-rooms, and a hall suitable for concerts, lectures and the exhibition of art treasures; a building which shall serve as a sort of headquarters of the organized work of women in Indianapolis. Its membership, as is indicated by its board of directors, is not limited to that of any club, but includes women from all the leading clubs, and also women not connected with

any club. The association welcomes to its membership any acceptable woman interested in its object, and the initiators of the enterprise hope that it will be truly representative of all that is best, broadest, most progressive and helpful in the work of Indianapolis women.

Paroled by the Governor.

Governor Gray yesterday relieved John H. Woodsmall, of Green county, from confinement in the Jeffersonville prison. He was convicted of manslaughter in 1881, and was sentenced to twenty-one years, but he is said to be dying of consumption. It was for this reason his parole was granted, the prison authorities testifying to his physical decline.

OFICEF desks at Wm. L. Elder's.

THE FOURTH OF JULY.

It Is Not a Varied Programme for the Day, but It Is, Nevertheless, Attractive.

The Fourth promises to be more generally observed here than for many years past. All branches of business will be practically closed. Last evening the business thoroughfares began to take on a holiday attire, and by the morning there will perhaps be but few business houses or private residence that will not display the national colors. The State-house and all the publie buildings are being beautifully decorated, and some of the business houses on Washington street appear to be a mass of flags and bunting. The five-story building of Charles Mayer & Co. attracts special attention. The entire front flutters with flags, and great streamers of red, white and blue float out from every window. L. S. Ayres's dry good store is very elaborately decorated with the red, white and blue, and there are but few business men on either side of the street who will not make a creditable showing in this way. The hotels are elaborately covered with flags and bunting, as are other public buildings.

The amusement for the day will be two games of base-ball at Athletic Park between the In-

dianapolis nine and the famous Boston team.
At night the city will be brilliant in its
illumiation and display of pyrotechnics.
The latter will be very elaborate, after the programme comprising thirty-five pieces illustrating national symbols and events. It will take place on East Market space. Market and Delaware streets in the vicinity of the court-house square will be kept clear of vehicles, so that there will be standing room for 25,000 people to witness the display. The railroads are all offering excursion rates to the city, and they expect to bring in a good many thousand people.
In accordance with the established custom many hundreds of laboring men who seldom have a holiday will go to the country for a day's rest. All the groves around the city have been engaged for picnics, and in scores of instances several families have formed small parties. There are also quite a number of railroad excursions out of the city, carrying picnic parties to country resorts. At the German Orphan Asy-lum the day will be appropriately observed, and at other public institutions there will be exer-

cises more or less extensive. One of the interesting places that through its historical interest and artistic excellence will attract throngs of people is the Cyclorama. An hour or two of inspection of the great painting of the Battle of Atlanta will recall to the veteran the momentous events in which he took part, and impress upon the young a period in the national history that secured a continuance of the celebration of the day.

CULLINGS FROM THE COURTS.

Difference of Legal Opinion in Regard to the Sign Ordinance.

The misunderstanding that has arisen over the ordinance requiring the removal of street signs is going to be settled in court. The Mayor and the deputy city attorney do not interpret the ordinance alike. The latter claims that it prohibits signs that project three feet or more from the building, overhanging the sidewalk, or are built on the outer edgo higher than three feet. He has directed Charles Carter, the confeet. He has directed Charles Carter, the confectioner on North Illinois street, to remove a costly lamp post he had erected on the edge of the sidewalk in front of his store, and on the globe of which was a notice of his business. Mr. Carter went to the Mayor, and that officer gave it as his opinion that the ordinance did not contemplate the removal of such signs. To test the question the deputy attorney has filed against Mr. Carter, and the case will come up before the Mayor this morning.

A Doctor's Troubles. Dr. Henry Long has petitioned the Superior Court for a divorce from his wife, Drusella Long, to whom he was married six years ago. He charges cruel treatment and neglect of her household duties. He says that on several occasions she has attempted to take his life, and frequently remained away from home a week at a time. Her conduct, he alleges, has injured his practice, and he has found her company in every way detrimental to him.

Deaths in June. The last report of the secretary of the city nealth board states that during the month of June that there were 167 deaths in the city, two more than during the corresponding month last year. Of this number, sixty-seven were under one year of age, and twenty-six of the infants died from cholera infantum. There were fourteen deaths from consumption, and only three or four from contagious diseases. Ten of those who died were over seventy years of

Wallace Tubbs Reindicted. Prosecutor Mitcheil yesterday nollied the indictment against Wallace Tubbs, charged with criminal assault on a ten-year old girl, on account of a clerical error in it, and the grand jury immediately brought in a corrected indictment. The case was set for trial to-morrow morning.

The accused has not been able to procure a bondsman, and remains in jail.

Notes of the Courts. The Superior Courts have adjourned until

The trial of Thomas Henderson, indicted for stealing \$14 from a colored man, was concluded in the Circuit Court yesterday morning, and the case was submitted to the jury. A verdict had not been agreed upon last night.

John Ray, arrested Monday evening on the charge of attempting to chloroform Mrs. Gettigan and rob her residence, waived examination before the Mayor yesterday morning, and was sent to the grand jury. His confederate has not yet been captured.

New Incorporations. Articles of incorporation were filed, yesterday,

for the Madison-avenue Saving and Loan Association, No. 3. It has a capital stock of \$100,-000, to be disposed of in 500 shares. The board of directors is to consist of nine men, three of whom are elected annually. Joseph Fuerst, Robert Bender, Theodore Stein, Herman Feltman and others comprise the present board.
Articles were also filed by Geo. G. Harris, Harry S. Hart and Jas. W. Caldwell, all of South Bend. Ind., to constitute themselves a corporation known as the "South Bend Jewelry Company." The company begins with a capital stock of \$10,000 and is organized for fifty years. A board of three directors will be elected annually to transact the business of the cor-

Will Wait the Action of Directors. Col. Oran Perry says that the Council has so amended, cut up and changed the franchise granted to the Dudley Company that it is hardly recognizable now. He cannot say what will be done towards the building of the line until the directors of the company are consulted, since the present franchise is not the same as the one under which they agreed to build the lines. Immediately on information from headquarters, however, work will be begun, as \$50,000 have been in the hands of Fletcher & Caurchman for some time as a guaranty of good faith on the

part of the company. Yesterday's Intense Heat,

Yesterday was one of the very warm days of the season, and the absence of any breeze added to the discomfort of those who were compelled to go in the sunshine. Two cases of prostration from heat were reported. At noon H. C. Day, employed in Taggart's bakery, was overcome, and was removed to his home, No. 313 Pine street, by undertaker Kregelo. He was seriously affected, but will recover. The second person to succumb was James Hughes, living at No. 25 Elm street. While hot and fatigued he drank ice water, and was taken violently sick. He had to be carried home from the corner of Washington and Mississippi streets in an ambulance.

Building Permits.

The following building permits were issued yesterday: John Holland, frame cottage on Sharp street, near Kentucky avenue, \$500; Patrick Lynch, improvement on corner Harrison and Pine streets, \$50; Mary A. Bennett, frame cottage on Olive street, near Lexington avenue, \$450; Ruth Hedges, improvement at No. 124 North Tennessee street, \$50; Adam Helm, frame residence on Market street, near Arsenal avenue, \$1,400; Island Coal Company, frame and brick stable on Washington street, near Pearl. \$1,200.

The Convict and His Victime. A. M. Alexander was taken to the northern prison yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff Langenberg. Early in the morning it became rumored that he would be taken amer. and

great many of Johnson's friends gathered on Market street in front of the jail. Fearing they might attempt to do him some harm, the sheriff had him taken from jail by a rear door, and escorted across the court-house lawn to a carriage. The prisoner begged to be allowed to call on his wife before he went away, but the privilege was not granted. He takes his punishment very hard, and still maintains that he is innocent of the charge of forgery. Both Mrs.
Alexander and Jesse Johnson continue to improve. The recovery of the former is practically assured, and Mr. Johnson, the physicians say, will get well unless he should meet with a

MINOR CITY MATTERS.

To-Day's Doings. NATIONAL REPUBLICAN NOTIFICATION COM MITTEE-New Denison: 10 A. M. TIPPECANOE CLUB .-- Meeting, Mayor's office; FIRE-WORKS DISPLAY-Market-house space;

Personal Mention.

Will Hough, of Greenfield, is in the city. Dan M. Ransdall and his family have gone to Cedar Beach on a week's fishing excursion. A platform party is being arranged for, to take place on Friday evening of this week. Mrs. Lizzie Callis Scott, State Librarian, went to Martinsville yesterday to spend the 4th. Mr. W. O. Taylor and family will leave tomorrow for Mackinaw to spend the summer. Miss Kate Landis will go to Long Lake, Wis., to-morrow, to visit Maj. F. E. Marsh's family. Mrs. Kate Nelson has gone to Bridgeport, Neb., where she will take the position of cashier

Miss Garrard will entertain a few friends this afternoon and evening, at tennis and tea, at her nome at the arsenal

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. N. Sylvester will go East to-morrow for a trip through Canada and down Mr. W. A. Krag, who has taken a cottage at

Long Lake, Wis., will leave with his family tomorrow to spend the summer. Mr. Horace J. Rollin, artist and author, bas returned home, having been called here by the serious illness of his brother, J. B. Rollin.

Mrs. D. S. Alexander has returned to her home in New York city, after visiting her sister. Mrs. John Ingram, on North New Jersey street. Miss Partello, a teacher of French and mathematics at Waitham, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. George F. Adams, on East New York street. Mrs. T. A. Rittenhouse and daughter will go

to Geneva Lake, Wis., to morrow to spend two months with her father, Mr. H. H. Walker. Hon. Allen Zollars, Judge of the Supreme Court, yesterday received the degree of LL. D. from his alma mater, Dennison (O.) University. Mr. Charles A. Sudlow and family, Rev. Mr. Swan, and Mr. Swan and wife, of England, bave gone to Lake Maxinkuckee for a few weeks'

Joseph Perry, manager of the "Battle of At-lanta," has resigned. The management will ac-cept his resignation as soon as a suitable man can be obtained to fill his place. Miss Florence Miller gave a picnic yesterday

afternoon, at Millersville, to about thirty promi nent young society people, in honor of her guest, Miss Lines, of New Haven, Conn. Mr. P. M. Pursell and wife have returned from their bridal trip north, and are at home to their friends, at their residence, on the corner

of Lincoln avenue and Peru street. Mr. Asa Redmond, a resident of this city some twenty years ago, since living in southern Texas, is here visiting old friends for a few days. He is the guest of Mr. William T. Smith. Mr. William Moore and Miss Birdie D. Holland were married last night at the residence of

the bride's parents, on West Washington street. Quite a number of invited friends witnessed the ceremony, which was an attractive one. Colonel Johnson, late president of the Citizens' Street-railway Company, and his son, Thomas Johnson, of Cleveland, C., have chartered a private Pullman car, and with their families will visit Yellowstone Park, San Francisco, and both old and New Mexico. The party expects to be gone three months.

The Home Missionary Society, of Roberts Park Church, gave a successful lawn fete last night at the home of Mr. Rafert, No. 603 North Delaware street. Illuminations were beautiful. Over one hundred Chinese lanterns were suspended about the yard, and the candy and lem-onade booths were elaborately decorated in the national colors. A band of music played all the evening and refreshments were served.

Will Comply with the Ordinance. Superintendent Travis has given the Citizens' Street-railroad Company notice that the ordinance requiring street-cars to be stopped at the further crossing of streets will be enforced. Manager Shaffer says the company will gladly comply, and has had instructions posted in the cars so that there may be no misunderstanding on the part of the passengers.

Gone to Cincinnati.

Governor Gray and a part of his staff will participate in the opening of the exposition at Cincinnati to-day. The party, consisting of Governor Gray, Adjutant-general Koontz, Cols. Shepherd and Wright, and Majors Shear, Wampler, Kelsey and Eggemeyer left last night for that city. They will return to-night.

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Walter S. Smith and Anna D. Hemminger,

Reuben Girard and Emma B. Lowe, William Moore and Birdie D. Holland, George A. Madison and Mary E. Griswold, Robert Elder and Ora Cole, Henry Koehler and Julianna Busler, Robert T. Hunt and Cora E. Anderson.

They Have Done Long Service. Wiles & Coffin have now in their employ two men who went into the store when the partnership was formed, in 1865. They are Mr. S. B. Wilson, a traveling salesman, and W. R. Miner, the book-keeper. T. H. Maxwell, another traveling man, has also been with the house a score

Sent to the Asylum. The first person to go to the new Insane Asylum at Logansport from this city was sent yesterday. The patient was Emily Piety, who is incurably insane. She was for several months an inmate of the asylum here.

Marion County's Tablet. The County Commissioners vesterday appropriated \$100 to be used by the Soldiers' Monument Commission in placing a Marion county tablet in the monument.

The Naval Academy at Annapolis.

July St. Nicholas. The length of the course at the Naval Academy is four years. A candidate for admission must first obtain permission from home to enter the lists in a competitive examination for an appointment to be given by the Congressman from his district. If successful in this examination, he receives a permit to appear before the examining board at Annapolis, and this board determines upon his qualifications for an appointment as a naval cadet. If the board pronounces him physically sound, and if he is able to pass a satisfactory examination as to mental attainments, he receives his appointment and becomes a naval cadet.

This examination takes place in June, and as the older cadets are all absent from the acad-emy on "leave," the successful candidates, or "plebs," as they are termed, feel their self-importance more strongly than they ever can

In fact, however, their appearance is anything but imposing. They strut about in a consequential but evidently uneasy manner. struggling to appear at ease, and certainly not The plebs, or "youngsters" (as they are also

called), are at once quartered on board a large, old-fashioned wooden frigate, which always lies alongside the dock, and does duty during the school sessions as a gunnery ship.

This vessel becomes the residence of the plebs during the summer months; here they have their first experience of sailor life; and here, among other things, they first acquire the art of sleep-ing in a hammock. It is truly an edifying sight to see these lads on their first night, struggling with their hammocks. The hammocks used in the navy, you must bear in mind, are very unlike those in which people swing under the trees in the country. The navy hammocks are made of heavy canvas, and are slung from the beams of the ship. They are usually hung quite high from the deck, so that it is not easy for a beginper to climb into one with any degree of grace-even if he manages to get in at all. Usually the novice struggles in from one side, and goes head over heels out at the other-mattress, pillows and bed-clothes, all accompanying him. After two or three unsuccessful attempts of this sort, however, the greenest begins to improve, and one or two weeks of practice is sufficient to make any one an adept in the art. In September another set of cadets is appointed. These form the remainder of the fourth class, and although both the June and September new comers are another set of cadets is appointed. These form the remainder of the fourth class, and although both the June and September new comers are members of the same class, the June arrivals are rather inclined to make much of their sen-

iority over the "Seps," as the later comers are termed. During the latter part of September the older cadets return from their summer cruises, and the regular academic year com-

MASON AND SLIDELL.

Chapter in Their History Recalled by the Hay and Nicolay Life of Lincoln. St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

"Some years ago," said Harris T. Clark, of Washington, D. C., a gentleman formerly con-nected with the internal revenue service, "I had a long talk with John G. Nicolay, formerly Lincoln's private secretary, about the circumstances attending the surrender of the rebel commissioners, Mason and Slideil. I expected that he would incorporate it in his life of Lin-coln, but as he has not done so, think that I may as well give to the public a very peculiar chapter in our history, which, as far as I know, has never been made public. Mr. Nicolay said that after the rebel commissioners had been taken from the Trent, Mr. Lincoln called upon Mr. Seward at his office, carrying with him a roll of manuscript containing his views on the subject. Before reading it he asked Mr. Seward for his opinion and the latter gave it fully, to the effect that the capture was in contravention of international law and that the prisoners would have to be given up. After some discussion and in-terchange of views, Mr. Lincoln walked to the fireplace, tore up his manuscript and threw it into the fire. No one ever knew what it contained, but it was evidently opposed to the ideas of Mr. Seward, whose arguments convinced the President of the untenability of his own posi-"When the decision to release the prisoners

was reached," continued Mr. Clark, "one of the President's secretaries, whether Mr. Nicolay himself or some one else I do not remember, was sent to Fort Warren to superintend their embarkation on the tug which was to convey them to the British steamer waiting to receive them near the Massachusetts Bay. The prisoners were told that they were to be released, and asked to prepare their baggage for embarkation. When the steamer was ready to start, the secretary, accompanied by a file of marines, went to the casemate in which they had been confined and said: "Gentlemen, it is my duty to ascertain whether you may have with you any papers which may be detrimental to the interests of the United States government. I do not wish to subject you to any unnecessary humiliation or inconvenience, and if you will state on your word of honor that your baggage contains nothing of the kind I shall not have it searched; otherwise my duty will compel me to examine it." Slidell, who was a sauve, polite, cool-headed man, at once gave his word, and his baggage was at once taken to the boat.

"Mason, however, was evidently in a most sullen and unreasonable temper, and declined to do so, being insulting in his tone of reply. The marines therefore opened his trunk, and it was carefully searched. Nothing was found, and the secretary, again turning to the rebel envoys, said: 'It now becomes my duty to ask you if you have any dispatches concealed about your persons? I shall be satisfied with your simple statement that you have not, and shall not search you, but if you decline to give it, it will be my painful duty to have you searched. I hope you will not compel me to do this, as it will be fully as unpleasant to me as it can poswill be fully as unpleasant to me as it can possibly be to you. Mr. Slidell at once most courteously assured him that he had nothing of the kind about him, but Mr. Mason, whose temper had visibly been growing worse, refused to make any answer at all. Accordingly a search was instituted, and the men, who were disgusted with his obstinacy and unreasonable temper, proceeded with it in a less respectful manner than they would have done under ordinary circumstances.

"His pockets were turned inside out, his letter-book opened, every fold and seam of his clothing felt and probed, and a most thorough, and what to an ordinary man must have been an exceed-ingly disagreeable examination, completed without discovering anything in the nature of treasonable correspondence. When this was over, the official said: 'The boat to convey you to the British steamer is in

waiting, will you please go on board?" Slidell at once started, but Mason, whose temper had by this time entirely overcome his judgment, refused to move, and would not put one foot before the other. Slidell stepped back and whispered a few words, evidently of remonstrance, in his ear, to which the only reply was a sullent above of the head. shake of the head. Again the request was addressed to him, and again he preserved the same sullen silence. There was only one thing to be done, and that was to have him carried bodily

Four sailors were accordingly summoned, and after a third request to Mr. Mason to use his ordinary means of locomotion had met with the ill success attending its predecessors, two sailors took hold of his legs, two took him by the arms and shoulders and took him to the gang-plank. As they were crossing this, the two who had hold of his shoulders pretented to let him slip, and although he was not in the least hurt, he for a moment assumed a most undignified position. He was taken on board, and rather roughly dumped into a chair, where he remained until the English steamer was reached. Slidell, who had behaved with perfect dignity and propriety all through, evidently did not know what to make of his colleague's conduct. His face was a study, amusement, contempt and chagrin at being associated with such a man, struggling for the mastery. So contemptibly childish and ridiculous a performance as that of Mason has seldom been witnessed. I understand that he stated while in England that he had no objectionable papers about him, but wished to give the Yankee officials as much trouble as possible. In this he certainly succeeded, but at an expense of dignity which few men would have been will-

AN OLD HARRISON BANNER.

After Fifty Years It Is Unfurled to Honor of the Nominee.

Denver Republican. The banner which was shown last evening will be placed on exhibition this morning in the business office of the Republican. It is a handsome affair of eeru silk, variegated with manycolored flowers, worked by dainty hands. The
banner is owned by Mr. J. D. Schmidlap, of No.
1171 South Eleventh street. It has quite a history, dating back nearly fifty years. It was
originally the property of Mr. Caleb Schmidlap,
who in 1840 was the standard-bearer of the Whig Club, of Madison, Ind. The ladies of that city in sympathy with the party worked the banner and presented it to the club. When the latter disbanded in 1842, standard-bearer Schmidlap asked for and was given the banner. He hung it in the best room of his house, ever after known as the "Harrison" room, where from 1842 until 1876 it remained undisturbed. When Mr. Schmidlap came West that year the old banner was carried along, and has since remained with

the family, who prize it very highly.

Aside from its historical recollections, the banner is an oddity, being much unlike anything of the present age. It is quite a large affair, cov-ering an area of silk five by six feet. On its face is an excellent portrait of the present nomi-nee's grandfather, Major-general William Henry Harrison, whose name is inscribed above the portrait. Beneath, in letters of gold, is this inscription: "The Hero of the Thames." A wreath of beautifully colored flowers, delicately wrought in silk, surrounds the portrait On the reverse side are painted in bold letters

> In November, 1811, She Did Her Own Fighting, In November, 1840, She Will Do Her Own Voting.

A Daring Engineering Feat.

Scribner's Magazine. The Niagara Falls Railway suspension bridge carried successfully a heavy traffic for twentysix years; it was then found that some repairs to the cable were required at the anchorage. These repairs mere made, and the anchorage was substantially reinforced. At the same time it was found that the wooden suspended superstruct-ure was in bad condition, and this was entirely removed and replaced by a structure of iron, built and adjusted in such a manner as to secure the best possible results. For some time it had been noticed that the stone towers which sunported the great cables of the bridge showed evidences of disintegration at the surface, and a careful engineering examination in 1885 showed that these towers were in a really dangerous condition. The reason for this was that the saddles over which the cables pass on the top of the towers had not the freedom of motion which was required for the action of the cables, caused by differences of temperature and by passing loads. * * A most interesting and successful feat was accomplished in the substitution of iron towers for these stone towers, without interrupting the traffic across the bridge. This has been accomplished very recently by building a skeleton iron tower outside the stone tower, and transferring cables from the stone to the the iron tower by a most ingenious arrangement of hydraulic jacks. The stone towers were then removed. Thus, by the renewal of its suspended structure and the replacing of its towers. the bridge has been given a new lease of life and is in excellent condition to-day. The Niagara ratiway bridge has been so long in successful operation that it is difficult new to

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Settling Month

July is largely a settling month. The government's fiscal year begins with July, and generally it is a time for clearing the decks. There will be no settling, however, for Indianapolis. The "Fourth" is expected to be a key-note for unsettling, and from then till the ides of November Indianapolis's motto will be "Up and Bedouin," as the Arab said when the camel thrust his nose in the tent. We shall be on hand in the same fashion as of yore, and to all-visitors especially-we urge a visit to our "Dark Room."

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